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COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

I, Lindsay Schwarz, hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, I believe I am the original, first and joint inventor, together with Vernon Knight and Jennifer Johnson, of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled, **Glucocorticoid Enhancement of Gene Expression**; the specification of which is attached hereto and is a divisional of USSN 08/709,554, filed September 6, 1996, which claims benefit of priority under 35 U.S.C. 119(c) of provisional application USSN 60/003,418, filed September 8, 1995, now abandoned.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information I know to be material to patentability in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

I hereby appoint the following attorneys and/or agents to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: Dr. Benjamin Adler, Registration No. 35,423. Address all telephone calls to Dr. Benjamin Adler at telephone number 713/270-5391. Address correspondence to Dr. Benjamin Adler, ADLER & ASSOCIATES, 8011 Candle Lane, Houston, TX 77071.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patents issued thereon.

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I, **Vernon Knight**, hereby declare that:

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Inventor's Signature: *Vernon Knight* Date: 9/8/03

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I, Jennifer Johnson, hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am the original, first and joint inventor, together with Lindsay Schwarz and Vernon Knight, of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled, **Glucocorticoid Enhancement of Gene Expression**; the specification of which is attached hereto and is a divisional of USSN 08/709,554, filed September 6, 1996, which claims benefit of priority under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of provisional application USSN 60/003,418, filed September 8, 1995, now abandoned.

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